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A look at next week ... Charger athletes receive numerous awards at their Fall Sports Banquet.



Grygla 1st Quarter 'A' Honor Roll
Front row, L-R: Cheyenne Irlbeck, Elise Monson, Abby Kiesow, Sarah Suchoski
Back row, L-R: Reece Sundberg, Jaden Kiesow, Katelyn Larson, Madison Cullen, Mya Anderson.
Not pictured: Maci Bakken



Grygla 1st Quarter 'B' Honor Roll
Front row, L-R: Blake Rychlock, Christian Loken, Kaylor Torgerson, Lewis Jones, Justin Thompson, Avery Moe, Chloe Kuznia, Hailey Knutson, Chloe Osse, Callie Loken; Row 2, L-R: Evan Englund, Ethan Englund, Keyton Klein, Jake Ahlbeck, Lucian Tinnes, Eli Sundberg, Bailey Watne, Layla Jelle, Courtney Vad, Gracie Lunsetter, Brigette Watne, Ellie Sabourin, Gavin Skime; Row 3, L-R: Taylor McManus, Jackson Grossman, Jared Haack, Levi Kiesow, Peyton Verbout, Nolan Anderson, Kia Klein, Ahna Stanley, Emily Carlson, Chelsie Nelson, Molly Cullen; Back row, L-R: Andrew Englund, Tre Alten, Sheldin Sundberg, Anthony Englund, Evan Fish, Clayton Suchoski, Riley Saurdiff, Zoey Fish, Walter Jones, Tatum Carrlson; Not pictured: Hudson McMillin, Jamie Dougherty; *Photos by Grygla Eagle Newspaper*

High School students have opportunity to win a trip to Washington, D.C.

Garden Valley is happy to sponsor two students to attend the NTCA Foundation for Rural Service (FRS) Youth Tour. Two high school students, age 16 or 17 at the time of the tour, and who receive services from Garden Valley may be eligible to win an expenses paid trip to Washington, D.C. for this FRS Youth Tour.

The FRS Youth Tour will be held in Washington, D.C., on June 1 through June 5, 2019, for high school students who are age 16 or 17 at the time of the tour. The Youth Tour introduces the students to the telecommunications industry within a legislative context.

If interested, please submit (before February 1, 2019) an essay-style letter of application explaining why you are interested in attending and why you

should be chosen to represent Garden Valley at the Youth Tour. Also, please provide your date of birth, parents' name, address and telephone number.

If you have any questions please contact Lori Hole, Administrative Assistant at 218-687-2400 ext. 241.

Must be a member of Garden Valley Telephone Company to qualify.

Submit letters of application to: Personnel & Administrative Manager, Garden Valley Telephone Company, P.O. Box 259, Erskine, MN 56535 or email office@gvtel.com

The two high school students chosen to represent the cooperative will be expected to visit Garden Valley in Erskine prior to their trip, and provide a photo and report following their trip.



This is the 6th year that American State Bank has made a \$1,000 donation to the Grygla/Gatzke Food Shelf. Bryan Grove, ASB President, presented the check to Lori Thompson, Food Shelf Treasurer. The generous donation will go towards the cost of making up Thanksgiving boxes to serve those in need this holiday season. *Photo courtesy of ASB*

Iron Chargers invited to state competition

"Imagine! Create! Succeed!" was the theme of the VEX Robotics Competition last week-end and our local Iron Chargers did just that!

Along with the new robotics club advisor, Nick Mickelson, the crew headed to Albany, MN, where they came home with a design award, and also an invite to the State Robotics competition. The 4149C team finished 3-4 and the 4149G team finished 2-5 during the qualifying round. The teams were selected by the Fisher

Newbie Knights and Tigris ex Machina III (from St. Cloud) during the elimination round and made it to the quarterfinals. "Both teams overcame much adversity and gave a tremendous effort," said Mickelson.

4149C team took home the Imagine! Create! Succeed! VRC Tournament - Turning Point 2018-19 Design Award, which gives them an automatic invite to the MN State Tournament in St. Cloud this coming February.



Team 4149C took home the Imagine! Create! Succeed! Design Award, which gives them an automatic invite to the state tournament! L-R: Abby Kiesow, Bailey Watne, Jake Ahlbeck and Olivia Tykward.



Goodridge 1st Quarter 'A' Honor Roll
Front row, L-R: Mercedes Coan, Emilea Johnson, Shantel Horachek, Hannah Lovly, Carter Lee Johnsrud, Lily Beavis, Chantel Grindeland; Back row, L-R: Nick Groven, Kaleb Sjulestad, Libby Johnson, Madison Paulson, Amy Wiskow, Madilyn Race, Nichole Arveson, Hannah Wilebski



Goodridge 1st Quarter 'B' Honor Roll
Front row, L-R: Jordynn Johnsrud, Maloni Henrickson, Morgan Burns, Trinity Walseth, Vivian Coan, Katerina Groven, Skya Wilson, Katelyn Colden; Row 2, L-R: Hunter Kiesow, Kayla Kiesow, Cynthia Sampson, Kansas Jensen, Chantel Nerhus, Tiana Banasau, Payton Homme; Row 3, L-R: Caden Marquis, Carson Rubischko, Spencer Coan, Kehan Nelson, Blake Jensen, Jordan Horachek, Paige Burns, Caitlyn Jacobson, Jennah Henrickson; Back row, L-R: Jorja Salo, Alliya Smith, Sadie Anderson, Kylie Delage, Jordan Coan, Matt Busse, Jordon Johnson, Elliot Philipp, Noelle Merrill; Not pictured: Jacob Tharaldson, Felix Jensen, Preston Panek; *Photos by Grygla Eagle Newspaper*



Iron Chargers Evan Fish, Payton Grandstrand and Elise Monson in Albany last Saturday. *Photos courtesy of Grygla School*

CHURCH CALENDARS

GRYGLA LUTHERAN PARISH
Grace and Our Savior's, Grygla
Pastor Vicki Saude-Worthington
Wednesday, Nov. 21:
Grace Choir 6pm, Thanksgiving Service 7pm
Sunday:
Grace: 9:15am SS, 10:30am Worship
OS: 9am Worship, No SS

GATZKE-THIEF LAKE LUTHERAN PARISH
United - Gatzke; Our Savior's - Thief Lake
Wednesday, Nov. 21:
Thanksgiving Service at OS 7pm
Sunday:
UL: 9am Worship
OS: 11am Worship

GOODRIDGE AREA LUTHERAN PARISH, ELCA
Bethany, Ekelund, Faith
Pastor Kristin Dahlen Ostercamp
Sunday:
Faith: 8:30am Worship, 9:45am SS
Bethany: 9:45am Worship, No SS
Ekelund: 11am Worship, 9:45am SS

THE CATHOLIC COMMUNITIES OF St. Clement's - Grygla; St. Ann's - Goodridge
Fr. Adam Hamness

BETHESDA LUTHERAN CHURCH
Skime
Pastor Steve Bliss
Wednesday, Nov. 21:
Thanksgiving Service at Riverside 7pm
Sunday:
8am Worship

COMMUNITY BIBLE CHURCH
Christian & Missionary Alliance of Grygla
Sunday:
9:30am Worship, 11am SS

CLEARWATER LUTHERAN PARISH
St. Petri - Grygla; Mt. Olive, Nazareth - Trail; Oak Park - Oklee
Pastor Jeff Merseeth
Wednesday, Nov. 21:
Thanksgiving Service at Mt. Olive 5pm & Nazareth 7pm
Thursday, Nov. 22:
Thanksgiving Service at St. Petri 8am & Oak Park 9:30am
Saturday:
Mt. Olive Worship 9am
Sunday:
St. Petri: 8am Worship, 9:15am SS
Oak Park: 8:30am SS, 9:45am Worship
Nazareth: 10am SS, 11am Worship

School Lunch Menus

Grygla Lunch Menu
Wednesday, November 21:
Pulled Pork on a Bun, Baked Beans
Thursday, November 22: No School
Friday, November 23: No School
Monday, November 26:
Tacos, Shredded Lettuce & Cheese, Bread
Tuesday, November 27:
Chicken Fingers & Bread

Goodridge Lunch Menu
Wednesday, November 21:
BBQ Beef on a Bun, Pickles, Chips, Corn, Peaches and Pears
Thursday, November 22: No School
Friday, November 23: No School
Monday, November 26:
Chicken Patty on a Bun w/ Lettuce & Mayo, Corn, Tossed Salad, Mandarin Oranges
Tuesday, November 27:
Pork Chop Patty, Seasoned Rice, Green Beans, Peaches & Pears

Community Calendar

Wed | Nov 21
Grygla Eagle office open 10-6pm; Senior Meals at Grain Bin Café 11am; Grygla Library open 2-6pm
Thurs | Nov 22
Happy Thanksgiving! No School
Fri | Nov 23
No School; Senior Meals at Grain Bin Café 11am
Sat | Nov 24
BBB Jamboree in Clearbrook (12pm 1st scrimmage; 4:45am 1st jamboree game)
Sun | Nov 25
Mon | Nov 26
Senior Meals at Grain Bin Café 11am; Wellness 4 Life class at Grain Bin Café 6:30pm
Tues | Nov 27
WIC Clinic at Grace Lutheran Church; GBB vs. SAC in Grygla

THANK YOU!

THANK YOU for your support in the General Election. It is greatly appreciated.

I look forward to continue serving all the people of Marshall County as 5th District Commissioner.

Gary Kiesow

GARY KIESOW
MARSHALL COUNTY 5TH DISTRICT COMMISSIONER

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****IMPORTANT PROPERTY TAX NOTICE
Special Agricultural Homestead**

Do you own agricultural land but do not have an agricultural homestead?

Homestead is available on farmland as long as all the following conditions are met:

(1) The owner must live within four cities, townships or a combination thereof from the farm;
(2) The owner or qualifying relative must actively farm the land;
(3) The owner must be a Minnesota resident;
(4) Neither the owner nor their spouse claim another agricultural homestead in Minnesota; and
(5) The farm consists of at least 40 contiguous acres.

What is a qualifying relative?

For special agricultural homestead, a qualifying relative includes a spouse, child, grandchild, sibling, or parent of the owner, either on the person's own behalf as an individual or on behalf of an entity.

When do I apply?

You must apply on or before December 15, 2018. This is an annual application accompanied by your 156EZ from the 2018 crop year. Contact your county assessor for applications.

Marshall County Assessor's Office 218-745-5331

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***IMPORTANT PROPERTY TAX HOMESTEAD NOTICE
Agricultural & Residential Homestead***

This will affect your 2019 property taxes and eligibility for Property Tax Refund.

Have you purchased or moved into a property in the past year?

Contact your county assessor to file a homestead application if you or a qualifying relative occupy the property as a homestead on or before December 1, 2018.

What is a qualifying relative?

For agricultural property, a qualifying relative includes the child, grandchild, sibling, or parent of the owner or owner's spouse.

For residential property a qualifying relative also includes the owner's uncle, aunt, nephew, or niece.

When do I apply?

You must apply on or before December 15, 2018.

Once homestead is granted, annual applications are not necessary unless they are requested by the county assessor.

Contact the assessor by December 15, 2018 if the use of the property you own or occupy as a qualifying relative has changed during the past year.

If you sell, move, or for any reason no longer qualify for the homestead classification, you are required to notify the county assessor within 30 days of the change in homestead status.

Marshall County Assessor's Office (218) 745-5331

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TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 27TH

Chargers Girls Basketball vs. Stephen Argyle in Grygla KKDQ

G35C (SWAP)

Christmas Wreath delivery

Those that ordered Christmas wreaths from the Grygla Freshman class, there will be a slight delay in the delivery. Expect them around the 28th of November. Thank you for your patience and understanding.

Be Charger Kind



The Grygla School is recognizing acts of kindness. Students are encouraged to write down their peers' names and acts of kindness that they witness and put the slips into a bucket. At the end of each week one elementary student and one high school student are chosen and they receive a t-shirt. Charger Kind winners recently chosen, L-R: Sarah Suchoski and Autumn Osse.

Photo courtesy of Tausha Severts

RSVP for Christmas party

The American Legion & Ladies Auxiliary Christmas Party will be on Saturday, December 1st, at Yo-Hawn's Bar & Grill. From 6-7pm will be Happy

Fall Gun Raffle winners

The Fourtown/Grygla Sportsman's Club held their Fall Gun Raffle drawing last Saturday. They have announced the winners below. Guns can be picked up at Erl's in Thief River Falls.

1. Weatherby Vanguard 270 cal. - Charlie Noreen, Grand Forks
2. Savage Model 93 17HMR cal. - Kurt Pahlen, Crookston
3. Henry Golden Boy 22 cal. - Shane Larson, Roseau
4. Remington 870 Express 12 ga. - Troy Boman
5. Wolf 50 cal. - Mike Konickson

Post Prom raffle tickets for sale

If anyone is interested in buying one of the \$20.00 Post Prom Party raffle tickets, they can stop in the Grygla School office or contact a junior/senior student or parent. There will be a drawing at every one of the home boys and girls basketball games. 1st prize is \$50, 2nd prize is \$30 and 3rd prize is \$20. The winner will be put back into the box for the next drawing, as well.

November WIC Schedule

The Women, Infants and Children's Supplemental Nutrition Education Program (WIC) is being held the month of November 2018.

Infants, children up to the age of 5, and women who are pregnant or breastfeeding may be eligible for the program. We are very interested in enrolling pregnant women in the program. We feel that the prenatal nutrition is a vital part of producing a healthy baby. Therefore, it is important to apply for WIC early in your pregnancy. We need no proof of pregnancy.

Wednesday, November 21: Roseau LifeCare Medical Center

Tuesday, November 27: Grygla, Grace Lutheran Church

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Happy Thanksgiving

Enjoy these "How to cook a turkey" instructions from Mr. Monson's 2nd grade class! The remaining seven are printed on the back page!

"How do you cook a Turkey?"

Name: Kensley Brateng
School: Grygla
Teacher: Mr. Monson
Favorite Subject: Math

First, I put the turkey in the store. Next, you pull out the turkey. Then, you will cook sum tomatoes and sum vegetables. Next, you put sum pepper and make it juicy and finally, you get eat it! ♥

"How do you cook a Turkey?"

Name: Krystal Neuschwander
School: Grygla
Teacher: Mr. Monson
Favorite Subject: Science, math, reading

First you will put brocolli, cariti, and pees on the Turkey. Next you put more vegetables on it. Then you put the Turkey in the oven. Next put gravy on it. Finally I eat it.

"How do you cook a Turkey?"

Name: Brianna Severts
School: Grygla
Teacher: Mr. Monson
Favorite Subject: Art

First kill a turkey. Next, get off the hair and take the eyeballs out. Then, cook the turkey for 9. hours. Next, put some stuffing in it and put lettuce, salt. Finally, I can eat it. I love turkey!!!

The Joy of Thanksgiving

The Thanksgiving tradition began at Plymouth Colony in the autumn of 1621. After a successful corn harvest, Governor William Bradford declared a three-day celebration of Thanksgiving and prayer. The colonists thanked God for the year's blessings. "Enter into his gates with Thanksgiving and into his courts with praise: be thankful to him and bless his name." Psalm 100:4

As we look forward to the Thanksgiving meal and a special time with family and friends, we wish you a blessed Thanksgiving.

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October School Board Minutes approved last week

Official Minutes of the Grygla/Gatzke School Board Meeting on Thursday, October 17, 2018, 7:00 p.m.

Chairperson of the board Nicolette Leach called the meeting to order at 7:00 p.m. with Karina Tinnnes, Charisa Limesand, James Verbout, Jeremy Rychlock, and Principal Lunsetter present. Superintendent Clow and Andrew Oslund absent.

Pledge of Allegiance.

Motion by Karina Tinnnes, second by Charisa Limesand, to approve the agenda as amended. Passed 5-0. Minutes of the 9/20/18 regular school board meeting were approved as printed. Motion by Nicolette Leach, second by Charisa Limesand, to approve payment of the bills check #36246 through check #36329 and wire payments. Passed 5-0.

Finance Report: Given by Principal Lunsetter. Sara Niemela reported on the audit for the previous year. She said that the district is in sound financial shape at this time.

General Fund: \$164562.77 MSDLAF: \$15212283.25 Food Service: \$5803.74 Checking: \$84819.42 Comm. Service: \$530.18 Trust: 0.00 Scholarship: 0.00 Total: \$170896.69 Total: \$1597102.67

Student Report: Given by

Cheyenne Irlbeck. Homecoming Week, organized by the Student Council and topped off with the dance on Friday night, went extremely well. During Halloween Week, the Student Council is selling Halloween grams, and organizing costume contests. The Peer Helpers will again be hosting the Haunted Hallway. The BSU Math Contest will be held on October 23rd. Yearbook will be selling ads in Roseau and Warroad on October 24th. November 12th is Turkey Bingo, hosted by the Student Council. November 14th is the Northwest Division Summit and meeting in Oklee.

Teacher Report: Given by Mr. Sundberg, Mr. Grandstrand and Mr. Kiono. The 4th grade is learning about Government and jobs by making mobiles. The 3rd and 5th grade took an outdoor education trip to Lake Itasca State Park. The 5th grade class traveled to Norris Camp today, where they learned about the CCC through role playing; the class is also planning future trips later in the year. There have been several donations given to help defray the costs of the annual Halloween Carnival. The elementary teachers continue to look for more Halloween donations. The 3rd and 5th grade students wrote "Thank You's"

to their book sponsors who are providing books for them. K-2 grades went to the Teddy Bear Band in Goodridge, having been invited by Amy Reznicek. They all had a great time! Genius Hour is going well, and students are much more organized and ahead of pace from last year. The Robotics team has a meet in Albany in November. The Junior High Football and Volleyball teams have finished their seasons, had their fun practices and turned in equipment. The 7th and 8th graders entered a Patriot Pride Essay Contest, focused on "Why do I Honor the Flag?." The Juniors and Seniors will be attending a Career Fair at the Alerus Center in Grand Forks on October 31st.

Principal Report: Presented by Mr. Lunsetter. Mrs. Saurdiff has been working with Wayne and Jake to expand room for her Pottery curriculum, with the intent of eventually opening it up to Community Education as well. The VB team finished with the #7 seed, which means the Chargers will host a pig-tail game on Monday, October 22nd, in Grygla at 7:00 p.m. The Football team will either finish with the #3 or #4 seed, which would mean they would host a home play-off game on Tuesday, October

23rd, in Goodridge at 7:00 p.m. We will have a motion for approval later on in the meeting to purchase a Chevrolet Traverse in order to replace both vans, which can no longer be used for student transport. MSHSL Form A will also be presented for approval later, with the intent of applying for a grant that will help aid our athletic programs. All jobs for the summer are complete, with great thanks to Bill Neuschwander, Lowell Smeby and Jim Smeby for the excellent work they've done this summer and in the past in keeping our school looking top-notch and up to date. Mr. Lunsetter also stated that he is working on the Veterans Day Program for November 12th, and has discussed next week's Free College Application Week with the Seniors. Finally, Mr. Lunsetter asked to Board to approve placing the Maroon Van on bids, and the board approved.

Superintendent Report: Mr. Lunsetter reported for Mr. Clow. Mr. Clow would like anyone with ideas for Community Education classes to contact him.

Motion by Jeremy Rychlock,

School board mins... Continued on back

Word of the Week
...enhancing vocabularies
one Grygla Eagle at a time.

Catastrophize \ˈkuh-tas-truh-fahyz\ verb

To view or talk about an event or situation as worse than it actually is, or as if it were a catastrophe.

A Note from Principal Lunsetter's Desk

"I go to the ocean to calm down, to reconnect with the creator, to just be happy." ~ Nnedi Okorafor

I was looking for quotes today and went past this one a couple of times, and went back and re-read it a couple more, and thought "This is really important." Obviously, we can't stroll down to the ocean to reconnect and re-energize, but I also think it's important to have "that place" where we can do that. It might be out in a tree stand, or mowing the lawn, pushing snow or even just in your living room contemplating all the blessings that we've been granted and how good we really have it. When we're able to find this place where the world slows down a little bit and we find a sense of peace, we actually become happier and the rough spots in our lives become a little smoother. I hope you're all able to find some time to go to that place, relax and just be happy!

SIMPLY DELICIOUS



Written and "will be" made by Kari Sundberg, Eagle Editor

Slow Cooker Ricotta Rosemary Creamed Corn

Well, I'll have to wait and tell you how this tasted next week as I haven't made it yet but am going to for Thanksgiving! Corn is an almost-guaranteed side dish at Thanksgiving. To me, it's pretty boring and basic and I'd rather save room for something else – UNLESS – it's creamy or cheesy or doctored up somehow. And I'd say this is a dish of corn that won't be overlooked this Thanksgiving. Game on.

Ingredients
2 pounds frozen corn kernels

½ cup heavy cream
4 ounces cream cheese, cubed
1 cup ricotta cheese
1 tbsp flour
1 tbsp sugar
1 tsp sea salt
½ tsp garlic powder
¼ tsp onion powder
¼ tsp pepper
¼ tsp paprika
¼ tsp rosemary leaves
¼ tsp thyme leaves
2 tbsp butter, cubed

Directions: Spray the inside of slow cooker with non-stick cooking spray. Place everything inside and cook 4-6 hours on low or 2-4 hours on high, stirring occasionally. The recipe says to garnish with bacon pieces and green onions if you desire, which I definitely desire to do so, yes. (Side note: the recipe also said to blend all of this together before putting in the slow-cooker, but I think I'll skip that step, I don't know!? Don't you think it'll get all mushy and weird...? Blend if you want to... or don't.)

A HIPPIE'S HEALTH

Written by Tara Waltman
Finding balance in an un-balanced world

Does anyone else's kid watch clips or shows (I don't even know what to call it because I am a hippie) on Youtube, like a guy playing a video game or some people in a store trying to stay overnight? Like, what? I don't get it. Lol. Am I alone in this people? My most used phrase lately, "No, we are not watching something on Youtube." Because I like movies or shows; I am old school like that, apparently.

I find it hard to find balance with technology when it is everywhere! Anyone else feeling me on this? Waverly reaches for my phone likes she wants to chat on it. We do Facetime so I think that's part of it! I often have this thought, though: I want to go live in the woods with no access to technology. Lol. I guess that's the other extreme.

I will say what I have seen since there has been an increase in technology in my everyday work has been a little sad. I have seen more depression, anxiety and emotion dysregulation in the teens and young adults I see. I have seen more loneliness and less ability to problem solve, tolerate dis-

tress and lack of social skills in some ways.

There has been a lot of research on this topic that would back up my personal experience in doing outpatient therapy. Technology can be good thing, too, though. Like when I get a message from my oldest niece, Addi, it makes me so happy! Or being able to Facetime Grandma and Grandpa Yohawn! Or when I do essential oil classes on Facebook. It's fun to interact with people like this when I cannot see them in person.

So the answer to this dilemma: Balance.

Finding balance with technology just as you may with priorities or with eating or whatever it may be. Balance is key. It is just sometimes difficult to find that balance. Finding balance is ever evolving and changing.

Tara Waltman is a licensed clinical social worker doing outpatient therapy working on health and wellness for people. She is also a Young Living Essential Oils consultant. She is the daughter of Darell and Karen Severts, of Grygla, and resides in Lancaster, Pennsylvania, with her family. She will be contributing a health and wellness column weekly.

Grygla Diva Days



Last Saturday, the Grygla School was the place to be! Not only was there a Chargers Girls Basketball Jamboree, but there was a Diva Days Vendor Show with over 25 booths set up, as well! Pictured above is Aria Saurdiff, who stopped by the Young Living Essential Oil booth to make a diffuser bracelet! More pictures of the jamboree and vendor show in the Canary section! Photo by Grygla Eagle



The Grygla School hosted a Veteran's Day Program on Monday, November 12th. The program schedule included Presentation of Colors led by the American Legion Post #162, GHS Band selection, Invocation and Memorial History, Girls and Boys State Representative Address by Lucian Tinnnes and Abby Kiesow, Student Service Project by Maci Bakken and Daria Waletzki, Student Poem Reading by Evan Fish, Benediction and Retiring of Colors. The guest speaker at the program was Conrad Lubarski, who shared an inspirational message on his respect and gratitude for veterans. Pictured above, L-R, are veterans from American Legion Post #162: Danny Bragg, Raymond Benson, Lyle Nelson and Wayne Hanson. After the program, they lined up in the commons area for the students to greet them! Photo by Grygla Eagle Newspaper

Goodridge High School Band & Choir Concert/ Veteran's Day program



On Monday, November 12th, the Goodridge School held a Veteran's Day program in conjunction with their High School Band & Choir Concert. The concert included prelude music by the band, Presentation of Colors by Post #117, Address by Girls State Representatives Madilyn Race and Mercedes Coan, Americana Musical Selections by the High School Band and Choir, Guest Speaker Scott Guidry, retired, USAF, and Taps, followed by the Retiring of Colors by Post #117, pictured below. Photos courtesy of Deanna Coan



Grygla: Teacher of the Year and Friend of Education



Betsy Saurdiff and Wayne Thomas have been selected as 2018-2019 Teacher of the Year and Friend of Education. They were selected by the Grygla Education Association as a kick-off to American Education Week. Gene Lunsetter, President of the GEA, says, "Betsy's high expectations for herself and her students are reflective in the work her students do. One only needs to walk around the building to see the out-

standing work she does at Grygla School." As for the Friend of Education award, Lunsetter added, "Wayne is a life-long member of this community and has long supported our school as a student, parent, grandparent and now as an employee. He goes the extra mile to make sure our school is a safe learning environment for students, teachers and staff."

Goodridge: Teacher of the Year

Betsy Saurdiff was also named Teacher of the Year at the Goodridge School! Their GEA nominates and votes on individuals, selecting a Teacher of the Year every other year; on the off years, they select a Friend of Education.

Lacey Hruby, President of the GEA, offered, "Betsy is an outstanding teacher and a wonderful role model for both students and peers. Her knowledge and passion show in everything she does, and she is highly respected by students and coworkers. Betsy continually proves to be an excellent educator and a lifelong learner. She attends numerous workshops and takes advantage of several professional development opportunities every year. Betsy also commits to enhancing her students by bringing them to festivals, contests, and hosting an art show every year to showcase their work. She never gives up on a student and is an inspiring and motivating force within our school. Betsy truly goes above and beyond to give everyone what they need to succeed. She is an excellent educator and we are very lucky to have her in our district."

Congratulations, Betsy and Wayne!

Grygla School recognizes AEW

Last week, the Grygla School celebrated American Education Week. The NEA's American Education Week presents all Americans with an opportunity to honor individuals who are making a difference in ensuring that every child receives a quality education. The weeklong celebration spotlights the different people who are critical in building great public schools for the nation's 50 million K-12 students. American Education Week's celebration days included:

National Kickoff. Schools across the country celebrated excellence in education by hosting kickoff events and activities. Friend of Education and Teacher of the Year was announced: Wayne Thomas (F.O.E.) and Betsy Saurdiff (T.O.Y.)

- Tuesday, November 13: This day students made "I Am Special" quilts.
- Wednesday, November 14: Education Support Professionals Day. Individuals who provide invaluable services to schools were recognized for

their outstanding work.

- Thursday, November 15: Community leaders were invited to the elementary classrooms to read aloud. Representatives from Machinewell, Inc., and American State Bank came in to read to the Grygla Elementary students.
- Friday, November 16: Parent's Day; parents, grandparents and special friends were invited to visit their elementary child's classroom this morning and also stay to eat lunch with them.



Bryan Grove, President of American State Bank of Grygla, reads to students last week during American Education Week.



Parents were invited to their elementary child's classroom last Friday morning and then join them for lunch! Pictured above is Janessa Torgerson with her parents, Shane and Lea Ann. Photos courtesy of Grygla School



"How do you cook a Turkey?"

Name: Kyle Slettel
School: Grygla
Teacher: Mr. Manson
Favorite Subject: Science

First You Fry a Turkey.
Next You put the Turkey in the Oven.
Then we take it out and set the Turkey on the counter. Next you put the Turkey on the Table.
Finally we eat the end.

"How do you cook a Turkey?"

Name: Brayden Kaczor
School: Grygla
Teacher: Mr. Manson
Favorite Subject: Math

First I put The Turkey in the oven. Next I put the Turkey on the Table. Then we eat the Turkey. Next we take bites of the Turkey. Finally we are done we eat ice cream floats.

"How do you cook a Turkey?"

Name: Jillian Wika
School: Grygla
Teacher: Mr. Manson
Favorite Subject: Math

First, get the Turkey.
Next, put cooking oil on the Turkey.
Then, put it into the oven.
Next, put the icing on it.
Finally, put sprinkles on it.

"How do you cook a Turkey?"

Name: Zachery Rian
School: Grygla
Teacher: Mr. Manson
Favorite Subject: Physical time

First, Gut The Turkey.
Next, stuff The Turkey.
Then, cook The Turkey.
Finally, eat The Turkey.

"How do you cook a Turkey?"

Name: Everett Stratton
School: Grygla
Teacher: Mr. Manson
Favorite Subject: music

First, I put the turkey in the oven. Next, I cook it in the oven. Then, I leave it in the oven for a hour then when its done you take it out. Finally, you eat it.

"How do you cook a Turkey?"

Name: Josephine Landsrud
School: Grygla
Teacher: Mr. Manson
Favorite Subject: reading

First, you cook it.
Next - you put seasoning on it.
Then you put it in the oven.
Next - you put sprinkles on it.
Finally, you eat it.

"How do you cook a Turkey?"

Name: Josie Saurdiff
School: Grygla
Teacher: Mr. Manson
Favorite Subject: Math

First, by the turkey.
Next, make the stuffing.
Then, once the stuffing is made put the stuffing in the Turkey.
Next, cover it in gravy.
Then, put the Turkey in the oven.
Finally, eat the turkey.

Sharing Tree season

"For it is in giving that we receive." Most of us have heard this quote before and it's more evident than ever during the Christmas season.

Marshall County Social Services is sponsoring the "Sharing Tree Project" again this year; this is an opportunity for the people of Marshall County to show their love and generosity for the less fortunate children in the county.

Nine trees have been placed in Marshall County, with ornaments on them representing a child in need of a Christmas gift. The individual ornament will have specific information about a certain child. There will be a number, the child's gender, and the child's age on each ornament. The child's clothing size and some of their interests are listed on the ornaments. Numbers are used to correspond to the children's names due to confidentiality; no names will be released outside of the Marshall County Social Services office.

If you would like to be part of this heart-warming experience, visit one of the nine locations, choose your ornament from the tree and record the number on the sign-up sheet with your name. Take down the information from the ornament, purchase a \$15-\$30 gift, return it to the location of the tree where you chose your ornament, unwrapped in a box. Instruction sheets, with the specific details are located at each of the tree sites.

The nine trees are located at the following businesses, American Federal Bank, Bremer Bank, and Frandsen Bank & Trust - all of Warren; United Valley Bank of Argyle; KodaBank of Stephen; Frandsen Bank & Trust of Oslo; Border State Bank of Middle River; Marshall County State Bank of Newfolden; and American State Bank in Grygla.

If you would like to purchase a gift, but are unable to get to one of the locations to pick up an ornament, please call Stacey Urbaniak at Marshall County Social Services - 218-745-5124.

Please note that the project deadline is Wednesday, December 5th. All gifts must be returned to the tree locations by this time.

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second by Karina Tinnes, to approve waiver of the 2% Staff Development Set Aside Rule for 2018-2019. Passed 5-0. Motion by James Verbout, second by Nicolette Leach, to approve purchase from Thibert Motors a 2019 Chevrolet Traverse AWD for \$28415.60 plus tax/ license. Passed 5-0. Motion by Karina Tinnes, second by Charisa Limesand, to approve Form A, MSHSL Foundation Application for Grant for Student Participation. Passed 5-0. Motion by Nicolette Leach, second by James Verbout, to approve the sale of excess computer equipment. Passed 5-0.

2009 iMacs, 2.66 Ghz Intel Core 2 Duo Processor, 4 GB RAM, 320 GB Hard Drive: Carol Steuck 1 @ \$200 Jamie Lunsetter 5 @ \$60 Amy Holte 2 @ \$50 Hudson McMillin 1 @ \$30 Lucian Tinnes 1 @ \$20 Nolan Anderson 1 @ \$20 Jaden Kiesow 1 @ \$20 Payton Grandstrand 1 @ \$20 Isaac Kvasager 2 @ \$20 Total \$750 2012 MacBook Pro, 2.5 GHz Intel Core i5 Processor, 8 GB RAM, 500 GB Hard Drive Amy Holte \$175 Jamie Lunsetter \$110 Total \$285

Motion by Charisa Limesand, second by Jeremy Rychlock, to accept the following donations: \$500-Holthusen Construction, scoreboard donation. Passed 5-0. Motion by James Verbout, second by Karina Tinnes, to accept the \$100 bid from Jake Sundberg for the John Deere lawnmower. Passed 5-0.

Trustee Reports: October 1st NWRIC meeting included the semi-annual Special Education Advisory Committee meeting. The Board of Education would like to recognize Bill Neuschwander and Lowell Smeby for the great work they always do at the school. The work is always done well and complete. Also, a huge thank you to our custodial and grounds staff. They do an excellent job of keeping our building and surrounding areas looking great! The football parents will be holding a potluck for the team after practice on Monday, October 22nd in Grygla.

Meeting adjourned at 7:37 p.m. Next school board meeting time and date: 11-15-18, 7:00 p.m.